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In re application of: Affymetrix, Inc. (William A. Lyon, et al.)
Application No.: 09/687,932
Filed: October 13, 2000
For: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR
DETECTING SIGNALS IN BINDING ASSAYS
Examiner: B. L. Sisson
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Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action. This extends the time for response to November 6, 2001, in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.7. Please debit Deposit Account No. 50-0581 the fee for this extension and for any other deficiencies if necessary. If any additional extension of time is needed, such extension of time is hereby requested. Thank you.

Dated this 6th day of November 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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